

Alexandria Gazette.

THURSDAY EVENING, APRIL 28, 1910.

LOCAL MATTERS.

Sun and Tide Table.

Sun rises tomorrow at 6:06 and sets at 6:50.
High water at 10:58 a. m. and 11:27 p. m.

Weather Probabilities.

For this section fair tonight, Friday fair, warmer; light to moderate north to northeast winds.

THE CITY JAIL.

Judge Bailey, Commonwealth's Attorney, City Engineer Dunn, City Sergeant Cox, Mr. O. B. Marshall, chairman, and the other members of the committee on the public property of the City Council visited the city jail yesterday afternoon for the purpose of inspecting that building. A special meeting of the committee was held tonight to which the officials named above will be invited. The matter of improving the jail will then be considered. There are now seven white and twenty-four colored persons in confinement there.

During the past five or six years the matter of the jail improvement has at times been before the City Council and has been placed in the hands of committees, but owing to the city's more pressing needs action looking to the proposed improvement has been deferred. Recently Mr. J. T. Mastin, secretary of the State Board of Charities and Correction visited the Alexandria jail and announced that certain repairs, etc., should be made. Plans have been in the hands of the committee for some time, and it is supposed to be in the hands of the present council to take up the present cells and erect others by which at least one hundred prisoners (more than are ever in jail at one time) can be accommodated. This expenditure will amount to about \$8,000. As stated above, the city has recently been called upon to appropriate considerable money for more urgent needs; viz: Improvements to the clerk's office, market building, public office, almshouse, etc., as well as upwards of \$40,000 for the new public school building. These expenditures, it is believed, were more needed than any that was necessary for the comforts of the criminal class confined in jail.

Mr. Mastin in his letter recommends the erection of a new jail and that provision be made for separation of the sexes, the races and the sick, etc. His estimates, however, that the condition of the jail is good under existing conditions and commends the jailer for the way the jail is conducted.

Mr. Smith, of Washington, who was in the city today and who has had charge of the erection of a large number of jails in Alexandria, as the present building is, at a comparatively small cost, be made to answer every purpose.

SIX MONTHS IN JAIL.

Charles Blair, colored, was arrested several days ago on the charge of stealing a brass lamp and a pair of gloves from a locomotive in the Southern Railway yard. He was brought before the Police Court this morning when the lamp and gloves were shown to be the property of Engineer Harry Hockman. Blair was sentenced to serve six months in jail, and he will be put to work on the roads. One of the witnesses stated that much annoyance is being occasioned by thieves who steal from engines, and in the future when the offenders shall have been caught and convicted the extreme penalty of the law will be meted out.

RECEPTION TO BISHOP LLOYD.

All the arrangements for the reception to be given to Bishop Lloyd by the men of Christ Church in the Parish Hall this evening at eight thirty o'clock are complete; the hall has been attractively decorated for the occasion, the music and refreshments in the hands of capable workers, so that all that is necessary to make it the success it deserves is for the men of the Episcopal churches to attend and to give him the hearty greeting which is due as one of the leaders chosen by them for the office of a bishop in the Church. Entrance will be from Columbus street.

SUSPECT DISMISSED.

Officer Garvey yesterday arrested a young man, an Alexandrian, on suspicion of stealing fifteen dollars from the person of a waterman who lives at St. George's Island. The latter came to this city Tuesday on a small vessel and at night visited saloons in the northeast section of this city and after becoming hopelessly drunk he went to a north-west street where, he alleged, he was relieved of his money. His pocketbook was found in the back yard of the house. The Alexandrian was brought before the Police Court this morning, but he was dismissed, as no evidence could be obtained against him.

POLICE COURT.

[Justice H. B. Eaton presiding.]
The following cases were disposed of this morning:

Harry Hall, colored, charged with vagrancy, was sent to the work house for 30 days.
Gertie Cole, colored, charged with disorderly conduct, was fined \$5.
Amelia B. Pitts, colored, charged with disorderly conduct, was turned over to his father for correction.
Charles Blair, colored, charged with stealing sundry articles from a locomotive on the Southern Railway yard, was sent to jail for six months.
Erich Hall, charged with the larceny of \$15 from J. C. Cheshire, was dismissed.

BAPTIST CHURCH PRAYER MEETING.

The meetings inaugurated the first of April in having two of the male members of the church conduct the mid-week meetings have proved a success. On last evening the lecture room was crowded, the meeting being conducted by Messrs. J. R. Norton and Fred Cornell. During the evening a quartette sang. On Wednesday evening Messrs. Allen Martin and Jonathan M. Leuge will have charge of the meeting. There is always good music, interesting and profitable season of prayer.

J. and F. O'Quinn's Fine Lustral Coat and Black Russia Lustral Pumps and Oxfords. Weld and Turn's price \$5.00; our price \$4.00. J. A. Marshall & Bro., 422 King street.

THE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.

The interest in the special services being held in the Second Presbyterian Church continues to increase. Last night fifteen minutes before the hour to begin the church was well filled, and by eight o'clock very few seats were unoccupied. Dr. Wellford answered questions which had been placed in the box the evening previous, and made very clear to his hearers the meaning of the passage in Matthew in which Christ refers to the founding of his church upon the petra, the rock of Peter's confession of him as the Son of God. Upon this confession of Christ is the church founded, and no one can come into the church of God except by the same confession which Peter made.

His sermon was taken from John 3:7, "Ye must be born again." The speaker dealt with the necessity of regeneration. He showed how all mankind are sinners by nature and by overt act, and as such are under the condemnation of the broken law; that Jesus Christ took our place under the law and died for us. We accepting Him are made righteous, and are acceptable with God. In heaven, the speaker said, there are two books. The book of remembrance in which every act of our lives is recorded, and the Lamb's Book of Life. In the day of judgment the book will be opened, and we shall be judged. Will Christ be our Advocate? Many mention they are too busy to attend to this matter. Many men think the prayers of their Godly mother will save them. But God says each man must stand for himself.

At the conclusion of the service Mrs. Leta Montague Sevier sang with great depth of feeling "Lord, make me clean, without, within." It was a prayer in song for the cleansing of the blood.

The pastor announced that services would be held this afternoon at 3:15 and at 8 o'clock as usual. Quotations will be answered just before the evening service, at 7:45. Mrs. Sevier will sing again tonight.

Services will be held Friday afternoon and night, and Saturday night also. Sunday afternoon there will be a great meeting for men at 3 o'clock to which every man in the city is invited.

Each day the workers of the church go out and hold shop prayer meetings in the factories and shops of the city.

MYSTERIOUS DEATH.

A colored man named Andrew Jackson while ill, was conducted to the station house last night by a colored man named Ellice. Jackson stated that he had been boarding at the house of Lizzie Grady, colored, on Fairfax street, about a square and a half north of the station house. Lieutenant Smith told Ellice to conduct the man back to the Grady woman's house, as there were no accommodations for him in the station house, and this morning he would make arrangements to provide a place for the sick man if his condition required it. Jackson and his escort left at an early hour this morning word was brought to the station house that a colored man, apparently dead, was lying on the Grady woman's doorstep. Officer Robert went to the house and found Jackson stiff in death. The body was removed to W. Demaine & Son's undertaking establishment and Dr. Moore, the coroner, not dead. The doctor decided that the man died from natural causes and that an inquest was unnecessary. Jackson was about 40 years old. He was a comparative stranger in this city.

THE CONDEMNED MEN.

Mr. L. H. Machen, counsel for Calvin Johnson, one of the colored men sentenced to be electrocuted two weeks from tomorrow for participation in the murder of Walter F. Schulz, has returned from Richmond where he went to interview Governor Mann in the interest of his client. Mr. Machen says Johnson has lost much flesh during his confinement while Smith has fattened. Mr. Machen is inclined to believe the governor will mitigate the punishment of Johnson, Pines and Dorsey to life imprisonment, but is not so sanguine concerning Smith. Mr. F. P. Russell, was also in Richmond recently in behalf of Smith.

ELECTRIC LIGHT.

A special meeting of the Falls Church town council was held Monday night, Mayor Hawthorn presiding. The council heard from Mr. Weller, electrical engineer of the Alexandria Electric Light Company, who stated that it was proposed in the future to extend the lines to the Theological Seminary, thence to Ballston and Clarendon and Falls Church. The company expects to reach the Seminary in September and receiving sufficient encouragement, would continue to Clarendon, Ballston and Falls Church. No franchise was asked from the town at this time, as Mr. Weller had come simply to state their plans. Mr. Weller's remarks were well received and it is hoped that the matter will assume tangible form at no distant day.

ORDER OF MOOSE.

Thirty members of Herd No. 9, Social Order of Moose, of Washington, visited Alexandria candidates into the mysteries of Moosehood at the Alexandria National Ball last night. The goat used for the occasion was on exhibition on King street yesterday afternoon and last night. The exercises were conducted by Supreme President Joseph J. Crowley. At the close of the meeting lunch was served.

OPERA HOUSE.

The four Meekers, in a whirlwind of songs, dances and rapid fire comedy, together with "Dale" the comedy juggler, and a new programme of first show picture will constitute the change in bill at the Opera House tonight. These people will be seen here for the first time in Alexandria and the management promises something out of the ordinary.

CARDINALS vs. CRACK NINE FROM BALTIMORE.

On Saturday on the north Alfred street grounds at 4:30 the Cardinal Athletic Club will play the Melbourn, A. O., a fast nine from Baltimore. The Melbourns have defeated some of the fast teams of Baltimore, and a good fast game is looked for.

The tag boat Duntless arrived at Norfolk yesterday with the barges Dendron, Virginia, Samuel Groves and Admiral, and left with the barge Arundel for Washington. Returning, she will stop at Alexandria for the barge Nanticoke for Norfolk.

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PERSONAL.

Mr. John M. Johnson went to Harrison yesterday to attend the funeral of his brother, Major A. Hunter Johnson which took place there this morning.

Mr. F. M. Penn has moved into his new residence on Prince street, between Washington and Columbus, the middle one of the three handsome houses recently built by Mr. Egbert Thompson.

Rev. Angus Crawford, dean of the Theological Seminary, finding it impossible to serve on the board of directors of St. Anne's School, the seminary for girls and young women to be opened in Charlottesville in the fall under the Episcopal diocese of Virginia, has resigned and Mr. James A. Moncre, of Richmond, has been elected to fill the vacancy.

Among those who attended the wedding in Washington yesterday of Miss Emma Norris Home, daughter of Mrs. Frank Home, and Mr. Lynn Sidwick Horner, of Clarksburg, W. Va., were Mrs. Cassius F. Lee, Mr. and Mrs. Oardner Bothe and Mr. and Mrs. William J. Boone, of this city.

Mr. Joseph Lowenbach has gone to Cincinnati, where he will spend the next month.

Dr. Charles T. Lindsay and Mrs. Lindsay left last evening for Edgewood, Va., called there by the extreme illness of the venerable father of Dr. Lindsay.

Mr. Arthur Herbert, jr., has been appointed by Gov. Mann a notary public for this city.

Mr. James W. Roberts, jr., son of Mr. Walter Roberts has been chosen by the directors of the Citizens' National Bank to a position in that bank. He will enter upon the discharge of his duties on the first of June.

RUMOR OF FOUL PLAY.

It is suggested by some people that the unknown colored man who was run over and fatally injured by an electric railway train on Tuesday night near Rosemont was placed on the track while in a helpless condition and after he had been robbed. The report is not generally believed but when the coroner's jury meets again tomorrow to further investigate the man's death, the matter will be looked into.

LOCAL BRIEVITIES.

The barge Maryland has cleared for Barrowe wharf near Quantico to load ore for Baltimore.

A barge loaded with building material by W. A. Scott & Co. left yesterday for Fort Washington.

Postoffice station No. 3 has been established at Mr. Henry O'Callan's drug store, northwest corner of Princess and Columbus streets.

This evening the Baptist Young People's Union, of the First Baptist Church will hold a social. A well arranged programme of a musical and literary nature will be carried out.

Alexandria Council, No. 33, Jr. O. U. A., will confer the degrees on a number of candidates at its meeting this evening. Arrangements will also be made for the banquet on next Thursday evening.

Civil service examinations will be held in this city on June 1st for telephone operators at St. Paul, Minn., domestic science teacher, Indian service; wireless engineer, Philippine service; and physician, Indian service.

The heavy current that has prevailed in the river for the past several days, caused by the recent heavy rains, has had the effect of keeping ahead and herding in the lower river, so the gilliers in this vicinity have caught but few of those fish.

At a meeting last night of Fitzgerald O'Connell, Knights of Columbus, Messrs. F. T. Quinn and J. T. O'Callan were elected alternates to the state convention which will meet in Richmond on May 10 to 14 vacancies.

A thief entered the store of Mr. J. C. Milburn, on the east side of Royal street, between King and Cameron, last night, and stole two shoulders of bacon, some candy, etc. An entrance was effected through the rear door, the lower pane of which was removed.

There was practically no change in the fish market today. Herring are abundant, but showed a comparatively scarce and prices showed but slight variation. Many herring are now arriving at Fichtelberg and cutting and packing is in progress.

The Vinegar Hill baseball club easily defeated the Young Tigers yesterday by the score of 25 to 19.

Duffey's Pure Malt Whisky for medicinal purposes, \$1.00 a quart, at Spinks, corner Prince and Royal streets.

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Murderer Killed by a Train
Welch, West Va., April 28—John Morris, a miner, maddened by drink, to lay shot and killed two men, wounded several others and a woman and later met death under a freight train while trying to escape.

Trial of a Boy Murderer.
Westchester, Pa., April 28—William J. Conathan, a 17-year old boy of West Bradford, was today placed on trial here for murder of John Babb, a special officer, who had gone to the lad's home to arrest him on a warrant charging incorrigibility. As Babb ascended the stairway Conathan, who had armed himself with a shot gun, fired a load of bird-shot into the officer's head, killing him almost instantly.

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TRIBUTE TO 'BLACK MAMMY'
Appeals from prominent men all over the country to make the movement for the erection of a monument to the "Old Black Mammy" of the South national.

prompted the authors of the proposition to change it from a Texas to a national affair. The idea is to erect a marble or granite monument to cost \$1,000,000 to the faithful old character in Washington. From all the southern states and many of the northern states messengers have come to the Galveston originators asking that instead of having a monument in Texas or one in the southern state that one of national character be erected. President T. J. Groce, of the Galveston National Bank, is chairman of the organization, and associated with him are the wealthiest business men of Texas. It is proposed to limit individual subscriptions to \$1.

Mr. Groce says that many thousands of dollars have been pledged, and he will see to it that not one cent less than \$1,000,000 is raised. By a black mammy and from the subscriptions pouring into him he has no doubt the projected sum will be raised before fall.

GRAND OPERA.
At a figure considerably in excess of \$2,100,000 Oscar Hammerstein sold out his entire opera holdings in New York and Philadelphia to the Metropolitan Opera Company yesterday, retiring for all time from the opera field in New York and Philadelphia, and thereby giving the Metropolitan Opera Company an absolute monopoly of grand opera in the United States.

Mr. Hammerstein announced that he capitulated to the exactions of the artistic temperament, which, aided and abetted by competition, now demanded salaries which, if paid, meant bankruptcy, and if refused meant no performances. But his own and the Metropolitan Opera Company faced deficits, he said, for the season just closed.

FEES INSTEAD OF SALARY.
No salary will be paid to or accepted by Speaker Richard Evelyn Byrd in his capacity as counsel for the institutions and departments of the state government. By a new agreement, he will receive only such fees as will be paid him for services which he may be called upon by the governor to render. The announcement to this effect made yesterday by Mr. Byrd, will be of the greatest interest throughout the state. His acceptance of the appointment as special counsel for two years, at a salary, secured a great deal of criticism. His fees are not to exceed \$4,000 annually, which was at first named as his salary. [Richmond Times Dispatch.

A RAY OF HOPE.
The arrival in Baltimore yesterday of Dr. Fritz Lange, specialist professor of orthopedic surgery at the University of Munich and one of the foremost surgeons of Europe, will bring a ray of hope into the life of the little youngster lying helpless from infantile paralysis at the Hospital for Crippled Children, for on Monday, Dr. Lange, in the presence of members of the American Orthopedic Society, will, by a wonderful operation, transplant the useless muscles of one side of the thigh and replace them with the other muscles, thus it is hoped, enabling the child's leg to be moved.

Indiana Democrats.
Indiana, Ind., April 28—Governor Marshall was upheld by a majority of the democratic party in Indiana after a bitter fight this afternoon and his senatorial endorsement proposition was adopted by a vote of 51 against 88. Amid scenes of wildest tumult, the warring factions contested over the question of naming a United States senatorial candidate from 9 o'clock this morning until noon, each side being given time for debate. The vote changed but little on the several ballots. The Marshall men mustered 50 votes on the last two ballots from counties yielding to protest against Ferguson, and the progressives won by a narrow margin.

Two persons missing are believed to be dead as the result of a fire today in Manchester, N. H., which destroyed the Odd Fellows' block entailing a loss of \$100,000.

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I further notify the public that I shall continue the said business under the old firm name of Wm. H. May & Son, and that I shall be pleased to have their continued patronage and confidence, as the firm has had in the past.
Surviving Partner of said old firm will be paid to me: all obligations due by said old firm will settle in the due, ordinary and usual course of its business as a firm.
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